

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MAZEN ALOTAIBI,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 67380

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ORDER DENYING REHEARING

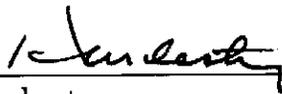
This is a petition for rehearing of our February 28, 2017, order affirming appellant's judgment of conviction. Appellant asserts that rehearing is warranted because this court overlooked or failed to consider *Robinson v. State*, 110 Nev. 1137, 881 P.2d 667 (1994), and *Apprendi v. New Jersey*, 530 U.S. 466 (2000).

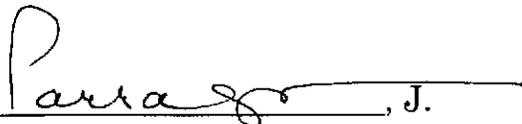
We considered *Robinson* and *Apprendi* in making our decision and concluded that those cases do not warrant relief for appellant. First, though the *Robinson* decision contains statements to the effect of statutory sexual seduction being a lesser-included offense of sexual assault, the focus in that case was on whether a juvenile who had been certified to be tried as an adult on charges of sexual assault was entitled to an instruction on statutory sexual seduction. *Robinson*, which was decided before *Barton v. State*, 117 Nev. 686, 694, 30 P.3d 1103, 1108 (2001), overruled on other grounds by *Rosas v. State*, 122 Nev. 1258, 147 P.3d 1101 (2006), provides no analysis on statutory sexual seduction being a lesser-included offense of sexual assault with a minor, and thus any statement on this issue is dictum. Accordingly, *Robinson* is not controlling on the issue of whether statutory sexual seduction is a lesser-included

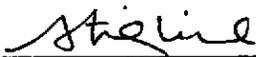
offense of sexual assault with a minor so as to entitle a defendant to an instruction on the lesser-included offense.

Second, *Apprendi*—a case about the Sixth Amendment right to a jury determination on any factor (other than a prior conviction) that increases the statutorily authorized sentence for an offense—does not address the analysis used for determining whether an offense is a lesser-included offense. Appellant cites no controlling authority applying *Apprendi* to double jeopardy or lesser-included offense analysis and thus fails to demonstrate that *Apprendi* requires the age of the victim to be an element of sexual assault with a minor for purposes of the *Blockburger*¹ “elements” test. Because appellant has not demonstrated a basis for rehearing, NRAP 40(c)(2), we deny the petition for rehearing.

It is so ORDERED.


_____, J.
Hardesty


_____, J.
Parraguirre


_____, J.
Stiglich

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¹*Blockburger v. United States*, 284 U.S. 299 (1932).